

Miller & Rhoads

BROAD STREET—TWO ENTRANCES—SIXTH STREET.

Embroidered Shirt-Waist Patterns, 39 Cents

We've sold no better qualities nor patterns at 69c. Very sheer lawn with embroidered fronts and cuffs in English eyelet or blind embroidery. Best bargain in a pretty Waist pattern we've seen this summer—39c.

Wash Goods at Clearing-Up Prices.

Quite a number of beautiful weaves that have become reduced in quantity or fabrics we secured much under their value will move out to-morrow at cut prices.

It's the bargain opportunity of the week in Wash Goods.

Linen Sulting, 32 inches wide, in the natural color 17c yard. It was 20c and low priced at that.

Gingham and Plain Colored Chambrays, 7-12c; reduced from 10c.

Japanese Crepe with embroidered dots that was considered a bargain at 17c, is now 12 1-2c.

Organdies in very pretty patterns.

May Manton Patterns 10c, each, on sale in Trimming department, by mail 12c.

NEGRO BANKS PROSPER.

The Four Institutions in This City Make Fine Reports.

Richmond has four negro banks, conducted and patronized exclusively by this race, and judging by the latest statements of these institutions, to the State Corporation Commission all are in prosperous condition. The following figures will be a revelation to the whites of the city, showing the thrift of the other race in Richmond and vicinity: Savings Bank, Grant Fountain United Order of True Reformers, \$28,743; St. Luke Penny Savings Bank, \$4,315.23; Mechanics Savings Bank, \$4,211.21; Nickel Savings Bank, \$15,521. These four negro organizations are among the strongest of their kind among the negroes of the country.

Dr. Pell to Lecture.

Dr. Edward Leigh Pell left the city last night for Charlottesville, where he is to deliver a course of lectures at the summer school which opens to-morrow.

Will Have Its Own Hall.

R. E. Lee Connel, Junior Order United American Mechanics, has recently purchased the lot at Twenty-fifth and Marshall Streets, upon which it will erect a handsome building, the first story of which will be for a store, the second story for entertainments and the third story for lodge meetings and banquets.

MONTAGUE BANNER.

One Will Be Stretched Across Business Section of Cary Street.

On Cary Street, the square between Thirteenth and Fourteenth, is known as the "Montague Block." To-morrow evening, after business hours, it is proposed to erect a Montague banner, bearing a portrait of the Governor on either side, across the street.

A programme has been arranged, which will embrace speeches and songs.

Mr. E. W. Evans, who is known as one of the strong Montague leaders on the block, has composed a song for the occasion, the first stanza of which goes something like this:

"Oh, Chieftain, 'tis of thee,
Strong son of chivalry,
Of thee we sing!
To thee we'll call glass,
For thee we'll voice our mass;
Of thee, with throats of brass,
Our bugles ring."

REUNION OF THE COLLEGE ALUMNI

Devoted Sons of This Institution Meet Around Banquet Board.

FOR PRACTICAL EDUCATION

Mr. Meredith Would Have Subjects Like Sociology and Economics Taught.

Yesterday's feature in the commencement exercises of Richmond College was the reunion of the alumni. The meeting and banquet of the General Society of Alumni was held at Murphy's Hotel last night. Dr. H. H. Levy, president of the society, called the former students of the college together about 8:45. Three new members were elected upon nomination of Dr. W. A. Harris. They were Messrs. R. E. Ross, W. E. Roberson, pastor of the Randolph Street Church, this city, and Julian T. Whitford, upon motion of Dr. H. H. Levy. The committee will be appointed by the president of the alumni to see that members of the classes of fifty years ago, twenty-five years ago, ten and five years ago are present at the reunion next year. After the transaction of some routine business, the alumni, a hundred strong, went to the banquet hall. Dr. Levy was accompanied to the room by Dr. W. H. Whitford, who invoked a blessing; following were the officers of the Alumni Society, the trustees of the college, the graduates of the present session escorted by President Whitford, who had already presented them by name to the society, and by all other members of the society.

The elegant supper provided by Murphy's caterer was fully and enjoyably discussed, and then came the toasts.

Mr. Meredith's Suggestion.

Dr. Harris, secretary, read letters from members of the class of fifty years ago. A delightful feature was the singing by Captain Frank W. Cunningham and Mr. Marlinstein. Mr. John Basler played the accompaniment. The principal address of the evening was delivered by Mr. Wyndham M. Meredith, of the class of twenty-five years ago. The speech was admirable, and ideas it contained for its pleasant and effective delivery. Mr. Meredith made a number of suggestions to the end of increasing the practical usefulness of the college. He would have economics, sociology and other practical subjects taught, not to succeed the humanities, but to supplement them. Rev. F. W. Moore, of Petersburg, and others spoke briefly and well. Mr. Leroy Sutherland, of the class of 1905, spoke for his class and did so admirably.

The reunion was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Among the trustees present were Dr. W. E. Hatcher, Dr. T. S. Dunaway, Dr. A. E. Owen and others.

ENDORSES MR. THOMAS.

Western Brother Writes Heartily Commending His Course.

The Rev. J. A. Thomas, the pastor of Laurel Street Methodist Church, is being highly commended throughout the country, by the press and correspondence, in regard to the course he is pursuing in requesting the women who attend his church at night during "arm weather" to remove their hats while in church. Mr. Thomas has received the following letter from Dr. James Yarnell, a physician and surgeon, in Jackson, Ohio, commending his action:

"Jackson, O., June 7, 1905.
"Rev. J. A. Thomas, Pastor of Laurel Street Methodist Episcopal Church, Richmond, Va.:
"Dear Sir and Brother—I observe in the Associated Press dispatches that you have requested the ladies of your congregation to remove their hats at night at the services at your church during the warm weather. I want to congratulate you upon your consideration and thoughtfulness for the welfare and comfort of those who are seated behind a row of overlapping hats and receive the message of divine truth without seeing the minister's face. We are in every State suffering from this cause. A short time since I put out an advertisement in my paper suggesting the remedy would be in dividing the congregation, as they used to do in the early days of Methodism.
"Very kindly,
"JAMES YARNELL."
The rhyme accompanied the letter.

PROTESTS INNOCENCE.

Negro, Condemned to Die, Insists That He is Wrong Man.

"They are going to hang an innocent man. The job was put up on me. This is the worst of it. Annie Johnson, the negro now under sentence to hang on July 24th for criminal assault upon a white girl, has just received from the decision of the jury in the case, and there is every likelihood that such steps will be taken.
"The appeal will be based upon technical irregularities in the trial of the condemned man and also upon evidence afterwards secured.

JUSTICE JOHN'S COURT.

His Honor Listens to Tales of Woe From the Offending.

Maggie Gibson, a white woman, who has seen better days, was before Justice Crutcher yesterday morning upon the charge of robbing the house of Annie Johnson. Maggie had recently been released from the city jail, and through the mercy of the court she was allowed to return to that resort for twelve months. In preference to facing a term in the penitentiary, William Lee interfered with Officer Krenigle and was ordered to pay five dollars for the interference.
Shepherd Eppes was drunk, and according to the ruling of Justice Crutcher, was therefore disorderly. Shepherd was given another opportunity.
Louis Ralph, beggar on the street and beggar's freedom from the court. Ellen Burton cured and was discharged, and Martha Bagley didn't pay for the groceries she used and was allowed time to get together the necessary wherewithal.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Executive Committee Holds Important Meetings.

The June meeting of the Executive Committee of the Virginia Historical Society was held Saturday night at the society's building. Mr. B. B. Munford in the chair. Among the gifts reported were a autograph view of Abby Ripston, 1868, from Captain John P. Maynor, of Richford, and silver-mounted cane from a cedar tree, which grew in the old Washington court at Mt. Vernon, presented by Mr. Edgar A. Bardsdale.

Among the loans were an oil portrait of Elizabeth Bolling, wife of Dr. William Gay, from Mr. Richard M. Bolling. This

THE NEVER FAIL.

That is What They Say About Them in Richmond, and it is, Therefore Reliable.

Another proof, some more evidence, Richmond testimony to swell the long list of advocates who endorse the old Quaker remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills. Read this convincing endorsement of the claims made for that remarkable preparation:

Mrs. H. T. Mallet, wife of County Policeman Mallet, 1710 Leigh Street, says: "I was annoyed with dull aching in the small of the back, for a period of years. It always hurt after stooping and was always aggravated after the contraction of a cold. It was so pronounced morning after morning that I found it difficult to even dress, and Doan's Kidney Pills procured at Owens and Minor's drug store removed these troubles entirely. I am positively certain that anyone afflicted as I have described who will simply use one box of Doan's Kidney Pills will just as enthusiastically endorse the remedy as I."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. For a full particulars, send for circular to J. C. Doan, Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

is an addition to the large collection of building points, now in the society's rooms, which belong to the city. Mrs. Frank W. Chamberlayne, of this city, lent an oil portrait of William Danthe following inscription: "April 1, 1866. This sword was presented by His Excellency John, Duke of Montague, to Captain Will Danthe, Captain Danthe was then in the English naval service and the Duke of Montague was at the head of the Navy Department."

The very interesting document was lent by Mrs. Phillips, of this city. It is a French certificate of birth, dated 1868, and signed by the Minister of Montebain and others, certifying to the whereabouts of Antoine Trabul, who afterwards settled in Richmond.

A letter was read from Professor W. P. Trent, of Columbia University, accepting an invitation to deliver the next annual address before the society.

The usual number of books, pamphlets, etc., was reported, including gifts from Mr. Heth Lorton, Rev. H. E. Hayden, Mr. John Copper, Mrs. Barton H. Wise, Mr. Edward W. James, and General Wm. Birney.

The treasurer's report was entirely satisfactory, the balance being larger than for some time past.

As has been the custom for several years, the committee adjourned until the September meeting.

Selected are Mrs. R. P. Taliaferro, Virginia; Messrs. Isaac R. Hitt, Washington, D. C.; Theodore H. Price, New York; P. C. Brent, Florida; Richard A. Austin, Richmond; Henry B. Ing, Boiseau, Virginia; Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, Virginia; Major R. V. Gaines, Virginia, and Mrs. Henry M. Brent, Penn.

BASE BALL MUDDLE.

Manager Paul Bender Declined to Renounce Control.

Manager Paul Bender, of the Richmond team, in the City of Richmond, declined to renounce his control of the franchise for the time being and will not release it until some agreement has been reached between the other owners of the team and himself.

Snapshot judgment is said to have been taken, and Mr. Bender was notified that the franchise would be held by the other owners of the team.

He held the franchise, and therefore was the holder of the winning cards. Now it seems that a reorganization will be perfected, and Mr. Bender will be ousted, whether or not. Meanwhile the cracks are widening, and what will become of the Richmond team is a matter of some doubt.

This afternoon Manchester will fare the Brownsies, the scheduled game with the Richmond having been called off.

GIVE THE REASONS.

Rev. F. T. McFadden, Who Voted for Increase in Arcanum Rates.

The regular meeting of McCarthy Council No. 1, of the City of Richmond, was held at Leo Camp Hall to-morrow night at 8 o'clock, and all members of the order in this city are invited to be present. The subject will be presented by Rev. F. T. McFadden, first representative from Virginia to the Supreme Council. His subject will be "The Occult in the City of Richmond." Adopted by the Supreme Council of the Royal Arcanum. This is a vital subject, and as Dr. McFadden is a business and professional man from all over the country, only three voted against the increase. Every one of the members of the order should be on hand Thursday night.

Receives His Own.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Wayne Davis entertained the members of the Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity at their home, No. 421 West Cary Street, Saturday night.

The evening was a most enjoyable one to all those present.

Judge Garnett Here.

Judge Taylor Garnett of Matthews was in Richmond for a while yesterday. Judge Garnett expressed himself as confident of the nomination of Senator J. Boyd Bears over former Senator J. N. Stubbs of Gloucester.

Colonel Harwood's Guest.

Colonel John S. Harwood, a classmate of Dr. E. A. Alderman at Bethel Academy, has been his guest on the occasion of the High School commencement next week, when Dr. Alderman will be the orator.

FEED YOU MONEY.

Feed Your Brain, and It Will Feed You Money.

"Ever since boyhood I have been especially fond of meats, and I am convinced I ate too rapidly, and failed to masticate my food properly.
"The result was that I found myself, a few years ago, afflicted with ailments of the stomach and kidneys, which interfered seriously with my business.
"At last I took the advice of friends and began to eat Grape-Nuts instead of the heavy meats, and that had constituted my former diet.
"I found that I was at once benefited by the eating of Grape-Nuts, and I was soon relieved from the heart-burn and the indigestion that used to follow my meals; that the pains in my back from my kidney affection had ceased, showing that those organs had been healed, and that my nerves, which used to be unsteady, and my urine, which was slow and lethargic from a heavy diet of meats and greasy foods, had, not in a moment, but gradually, and none the less surely, been restored to normal efficiency. Now every nerve is steady and my brain and thinking faculties are sharper and more active than for years past.
"After my old style breakfasts I used to suffer during the forenoon from a feeling of weakness, which hindered me seriously in my work, but since I have begun to use Grape-Nuts, I feel an work all day long with all ease and comfort." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.
Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

MUST MARK THE SEATS FOR RACES

Mr. Zimmermann Gets Through Street Car Ordinance.

LONG SESSION OF THE BOARD

Body Again Kills Ordinance to Increase Police Force.

The Board of Aldermen last night transacted a great deal of routine business in regular session but none of it was of considerable public moment.

Mr. Zimmermann got through an ordinance requiring street railway companies to label the seats set apart for black and white passengers.

The old fight over increasing the police force and retaining Sergeant Jones A. Otey on the force came up, but both were lost.

The session, thought a long one, was devoted almost entirely to routine business.

The Session in Detail.

The body was called to order at 8:15 o'clock by President William M. Turpin, and after the reading of the minutes of the last meeting the clerk presented a veto message from the Mayor, withholding his signature from a resolution grading certain streets in the city. The body sustained the Mayor by a unanimous vote.

On motion of Mr. Minor the Davis monument matter, in which the city appropriated \$7,000 for a site, was brought up, and the Board concurred in a resolution.

The report of the Finance Committee was read and concurred in, most of it having related to routine matters in this department.

The Board concurred in a resolution to relieve citizens of Lee District from the payment of certain improvement taxes without objection.

Police Force.

The Board refused to suspend its rules in order to take up the question of increasing the police force, and the body went on with routine business.

The matter came up in its regular order, however, to fix the number of the force at 111 men. Mr. Mann moved to make the force 125 men.

The amendment was lost, as was also the original proposition, by a vote of 13 to 7, it requiring 14 affirmative votes.

Lively Discussion.

A resolution came up on concurrence to relieve the city engineer from liability for giving the wrong grade in the matter of the building of houses, and it caused a good deal of discussion.

Mr. Minor moved for the resolution, and it was opposed by Messrs. Zimmermann and Gust.

There was some further discussion, and Mr. Blair declared that he thought the city engineer should be held responsible for his own mistakes.

The question came up on a resolution to grade Strawberry and Allison Streets, and it was backed strongly by Mr. Whitsett, of Clay Ward.

Mr. Whitsett finally won, after having had his resolution amended in some immaterial respects.

Now Jefferson Avenue.

The board concurred in an ordinance changing the name of Church Hill Avenue to Jefferson Avenue, and a resolution constructing a sewer through the Tredgair Works took the same course.

The board concurred in the ordinance increasing the pay of the men in the street cleaning department from ten cents per day more, and also that appropriating \$20,000 for a new smallpox hospital.

The body also concurred in the ordinance giving the city attorney a stenographer and typewriter.

The cancellation of the paving bills for Paul's Church took the same course.

The ordinance to keep former Sergeant Jones A. Otey on the police force was called and Mr. Blair offered amendments looking to the employment of Mr. Otey as long as he was able to perform reasonable service in the department.

Mr. Whitsett opposed the ordinance and the amendment and declared that Sergeant Otey should be pensioned and taken care of by the city.

Mr. Mann thought the whole matter belonged to the Police Commissioners and Mr. Dabney opposed the amendments offered by Mr. Blair.

There was a good deal of further discussion and Messrs. Dabney and Whitsett warmly advocated the ordinance.

Mr. Turpin (Mr. Satterfield in the chair), opposed the ordinance and he contended that the Police Board had the exclusive right to handle the matter.

"It is an insidious pension case," he said, "and it means simply that the Police Board wants us to put another man in Mr. Otey's place."

Mr. Turpin thought the ordinance was a case of impropriety on the part of the Council and he declared the body had no right to pass it.

Mr. Dabney defended the ordinance and took a very different view from that expressed by Mr. Turpin. These two gentlemen had quite a wordy battle and Mr. Dabney did not fail to drive home his points to his hearers.

Mr. Whitsett thought the city should take care of men disabled in the discharge of their duty and his views were heartily seconded by Mr. Zimmermann.

The ordinance was lost and Mr. Dabney moved to reconsider which motion was adopted and the matter was laid upon the table.

Mr. Turpin concurred in a great many matters that came over from the council, but most of them were routine in their nature.

Mr. Zimmermann offered an ordinance requiring street railway companies to label the seats of white and colored passengers on their cars and it was adopted. Mr. Dabney reintroduced the ordinance increasing the police force from one hundred and twelve men to 125 men, and it was adopted by a vote of 13 to 7.

A resolution was adopted appropriating \$400 to procure certain instruments for the use of the gas expert now at work in Richmond, and by members of the committee to be necessary for the prosecution of the investigation.

LEE MONUMENT FUND.

Gifts Coming in to the Treasurer From Many Quarters.

The following amounts have been received by the treasurer of the Fitzhugh Lee Monument Association since last report:

Dr. J. L. Autrum.....\$ 25.00
Col. J. V. Hildreth....." 1.00
Capt. Cunningham Hall....." 5.00
Mr. J. B. Trevelyan....." 5.00
Mrs. Virginia Jefferson Davis....." 5.00
Mr. A. D. Booker....." 1.00
Mrs. Joseph Bryan....." 10.00
Mr. Julius Straus....." 5.00
Robert E. Lee Chapter, Wheeling....." 5.00
W. Va....." 10.00
Cash....." 10.00
Mr. Herman Schmidt....." 10.00
Mr. C. Brush, Boston, Mass....." 20.00
Mr. John P. Branch....." 100.00
Major R. St. John Greble....." 5.00

QUALITY CLOTHING

AT REDUCED PRICES

FOR A GENERAL CLEARANCE SALE we have collected all broken lots of Suits—Suits of which the lots show a decided depletion in quantity and sizes. All these lots embrace sizes from 33 to 50 inches, breast measure, and in either one lot or another any man or youth can be fitted.

These small quantity Suits will be priced as follows:

\$ 6.75 For Any of the \$10.00 Suits.

\$ 9.75 For Any of the \$13.50 and \$15.00 Suits.

\$11.75 For Any of the \$16.50 and \$18.00 Suits.

\$14.75 For Any of the \$20.00 and \$25.00 Suits.

We want to impress on you that these reductions do not apply to our entire stock, but only to the small and broken lots. Every Suit in the sale, though, bears the Gans-Rady label of excellence and superiority, and, collectively, the quantity offered is a fair size stock and ample enough to suit and fit everybody.

Boys' Knee Pants Suits

at Half Prices.

We have collected together about four hundred Suits for quick disposal—Some broken sizes, some have proven slow sellers; at any rate they are all good, and are in all sizes, from 2-12 to 17 years, and

Half Prices Rule Every Lot in the Sale.

Sailor Suits—Buster Brown Suits—Wash Suits—Double-Breasted Jacket Suits—Norfolk Suits at

50c on the Dollar

OF THEIR ORIGINAL PRICES.

\$1.00 "Star" Shirt Waist, 39c each. This season's lots and nearly all sizes. Only six to a customer, as the quantity is not large.

Gans-Rady Company.

NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Board of Aldermen Adopts the Committee's Report.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street.

The Board of Aldermen met in regular session last night and transacted much routine business. President Perdue called the meeting to order and the following members answered to their names: Aldermen Rudd, Hooker, Patram, Moore, Robertson and Moore.

Mr. Miller, deputy sheriff of Gloucester county, who received permission from the Finance Committee and the City Assembly to build two houses on the vacant lots at Fifteenth and Perry Streets, was allowed to go ahead with the work, the Board, after a long discussion, concurring in the report of the committee. Alderman Rudd held out against remitting the delinquent taxes on the property, contending that such a procedure was not just to the other property owners in the city.

In the Finance Committee the question was fought out and Aldermen Tillery and Rudd were bitterly opposed to the resolution.

Mr. Miller expects to build two fine row houses on the lots, which have for about ten years been the property of the city without the city receiving any taxes from them.

The Board concurred in the bills that came from the Finance branch and remained in session for about two hours with routine work.

Near Race Riot.

Trouble between whites and blacks came near happening last night as a result of a fight between a small negro boy and a white youth. The fight occurred near the corner of Eighth and Stockton Streets. As a result, two negroes will have to testify before Mayor Maurice this morning about the matter. While the white and the colored boy were fighting it is alleged that several grown-up negroes interfered and this brought out the reserve force of the white residents of the vicinity. Frank, Hugh and Lizzie Jefferson and Charles Ford have been summoned to tell what they know of the case this morning.

A New Industry.

Work on the Pinesha Gas Company's plant, to be erected at the corner of Fourth and Balmbridge Streets at a cost of not less than \$20,000, will be begun within the week. Mr. J. J. Blake, representing the owners of the company, appeared before the Board of Aldermen last night and presented the petition for the erection of the building and gave figures upon which the city could work.

Several residences now located in the vicinity in which the new industry is to be erected will be torn down to make room for the plant.

In the Court Square.

For the first time in years the court-house square was lit up last night with magic lanterns, and the scene was one entirely unfamiliar to Manchesterians.

The occasion was the lawn fete, under the auspices of Stockton Street Baptist Church, and it proved a most enjoyable success. More than a hundred people visited the square during the evening, and financially the church made by the entertainment. Refreshments were served at tables.

To Build a House.

The Drewry's Bluff Fishing Club held a business session last night in the office of Chief of Police L. L. Ligon, and perfected the plans for the erection of a building on the grounds of the club at Drewry's Bluff. Business men in general of the city have liberally patronized the

club, and it is at this time one of the most popular in the city. The membership is at present limited to twenty, but at a later date it is expected that a resolution will be adopted allowing others to come in.

In Police Court.

E. W. Clark was fined \$5 by Mayor Maurice yesterday morning for applying an insulting epithet to R. H. Taylor and his wife, Mrs. Martha Taylor.

Mrs. Clark testified before the Mayor that R. H. Taylor was the author of the threatening letters to him, but the charge was not proven.

Etherberton Keeton, a man who came to the city for a short time and administered a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday while playing on the street. A heavy wagon struck the child and knocked it almost directly under the wheels. A physician was called and treated the little one's wounds.

Mr. Robert Nelson, a well known citizen of the city, is critically ill at his home, Tenth and Balmbridge Streets.

Ladies of the Presbyterian Church sold ice cream on the church lawn last night. Mr. A. R. Johnston, of Pulaski, is visiting friends in Manchester.

Social